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In re Application of:

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Serial No.: Filing Date: 10/790,516 March 1, 2004

Examiner:

2817 Art Unit:

Confirmation No.: 1060

Title Method and Apparatus for a High Performance and High

Dynamic Range Baseband Power Control System

REQUEST FOR EXCUSAL OF GOOD FAITH SMALL ENTITY CLAIM

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

The applicant respectfully requests that it be reclassified as a Non-Small Entity.

| | Current Large Entity | Fee | Deficiency |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|-----------|------------|
| Type of Fee | Amount | Paid | Owed |
| 37 CFR 1.17(a) Basic Filing | \$ 770.00 | \$ 385.00 | \$ 385.00 |
| Fee | | | |
| Independent claim in | 172.00 | 86.00 | 86.00 |
| excess of 3 | | | |
| Claims in excess of 20 | 54.00 | 27.00 | 27.00 |
| TOTAL DEFICIENCY | | | \$ 498.00 |

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge \$498.00 to the deposit account of Hulsey Grether + Fortkort, LLP, No. 50-2726. Should any unenclosed or additional fees be required under Rules 1.16 - 1.21 for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from the same deposit account.

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Response to Office Action

Respectfully Submitted,

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